

**Poverty status\* in the past 12 months by sex, race, ethnicity, age and education,  
Maine, 2007-2011**

	Below the federal poverty level		
	Single year estimated N	%	90% Margin of error
<b>Maine total</b>	165,146	<b>12.8</b>	+/-0.3
<b>Sex</b>			
Female	92,270	<b>14.0</b>	+/-0.3
Male	72,876	<b>11.5</b>	+/-0.4
<b>Race</b>			
White Alone	148,850	<b>12.0</b>	+/-0.3
Black or African American Alone	5,945	<b>45.6</b>	+/-5.3
American Indian or Alaska Native Alone	2,257	<b>33.1</b>	+/-4.1
Asian Alone	1,621	<b>12.3</b>	+/-3.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Alone	81	<b>27.4</b>	+/-18.0
Some Other Race Alone	1,264	<b>36.6</b>	+/-9.3
Two or More Races	5,128	<b>25.3</b>	+/-2.1
<b>Ethnicity</b>			
White Alone, Not Hispanic or Latino	146,097	<b>11.9</b>	+/-0.3
Hispanic or Latino (of any Race)	4,774	<b>28.7</b>	+/-3.4
<b>Age</b>			
Under 18 years	46,070	<b>17.0</b>	+/-0.7
18 to 64 years	100,973	<b>12.3</b>	+/-0.3
65 years and over	18,103	<b>9.0</b>	+/-0.4
<b>Education<sup>†</sup></b>			
Less than high school graduate	22,490	<b>25.5</b>	+/-1.0
High school graduate (or equivalent)	39,280	<b>12.4</b>	+/-0.4
Some college or associate's degree	22,856	<b>8.6</b>	+/-0.4
Bachelor's degree or higher	9,732	<b>3.9</b>	+/-0.2

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey. Data query from the American FactFinder: Tables S1701 accessed 9-9-13 from: <http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/nav/jsf/pages/index.xhtml>.

All percentages are weighted to be more representative of the population of Maine and to adjust for non-response.

Subgroup counts might not sum to Maine total due to missing data.

N: Estimated number of Maine adults living in poverty.

NA = Not Available.

\* Poverty status during the last 12 months; reported only for the population for whom poverty status was determined.

† Limited to the population 25 years old and over. Poverty status is determined by comparing annual income to a set of dollar values called poverty thresholds that vary by family size, number of children and age of householder. If a family's before tax money income is less than the dollar value of their threshold, then that family and every individual in it are considered to be in poverty. For people not living in families, poverty status is determined by comparing the individual's income to his or her poverty threshold (source: <http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/poverty/poverty-cal-in-ac.pdf>).